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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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KAZAN ARMY TRAINING CENTER SOUTHEAST

(55-42N 049-12E)

KAZAN, TATARSKAYA ASSR, USSR

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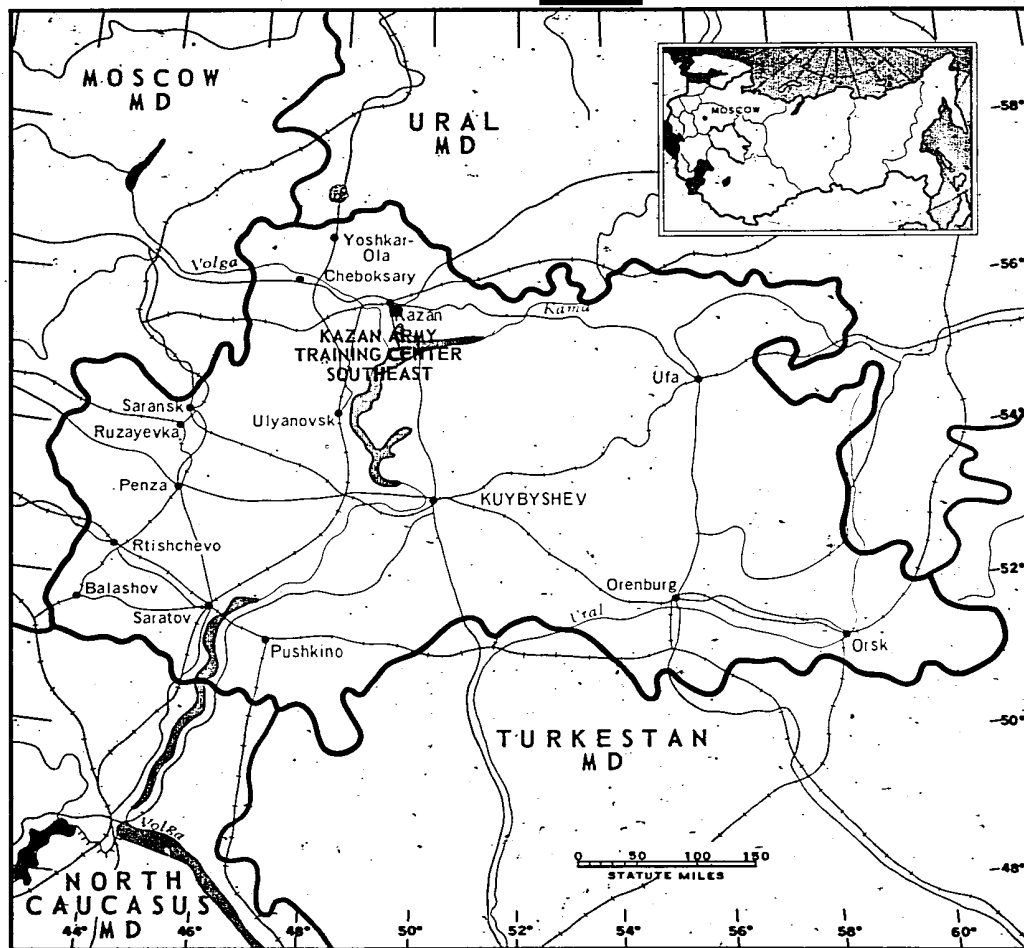


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF KAZAN ARMY TRAINING CENTER SOUTHEAST

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FIGURE 2. KAZAN ARMY TRAINING CENTER SOUTHEAST, KAZAN, USSR

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The Kazan Army Training Center Southeast is located approximately 9 kilometers (km) from the center of Kazan (Figure 1). Kazan Army Barracks Gorky (BE [REDACTED]) Kazan Army Barracks Southeast (BE No [REDACTED]) and a military motor pool are located in the vicinity of the training area. The training center covers approximately 90

sq km and contains a troop bivouac area, a flat-trajectory range, 3 moving target ranges, 2 driver-training courses, and an infantry training area (Figure 2).

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Rail service is available in Kazan, 4 km north.

Road Service

Good secondary roads serve the installation.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Kazan Airfield East (BE No [REDACTED]) is located 8 km north.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 3 multistory barracks, 2 multistory administration buildings, 7 storage buildings, 17 miscellaneous support buildings, 2 athletic fields, a possible athletic field, and a motor pool.

POL Storage Area

A POL storage area is located in the southwestern part of Kazan.

Driver-Training Area

Area M is an irregularly shaped driver-training course for tracked and wheeled vehicles.

Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Ranges

Area N1 is a 4,700-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with four 4,000-foot ranges and 3 possible targets.

Area N2 is a 3,800-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with five 2,100-foot ranges and 3 moving targets.

Area N3 is a 4,200-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with 6 lanes varying in length from 1,000 to 2,200 feet and 3 moving targets.

Flat-Trajectory Firing Range

Area P is a 4,500-foot flat-trajectory firing range with 2 moving targets and 7 support buildings.

Infantry or Combined Arms Field Training Area or Courses

Area R is an infantry training area containing personnel trenches and emplacements.

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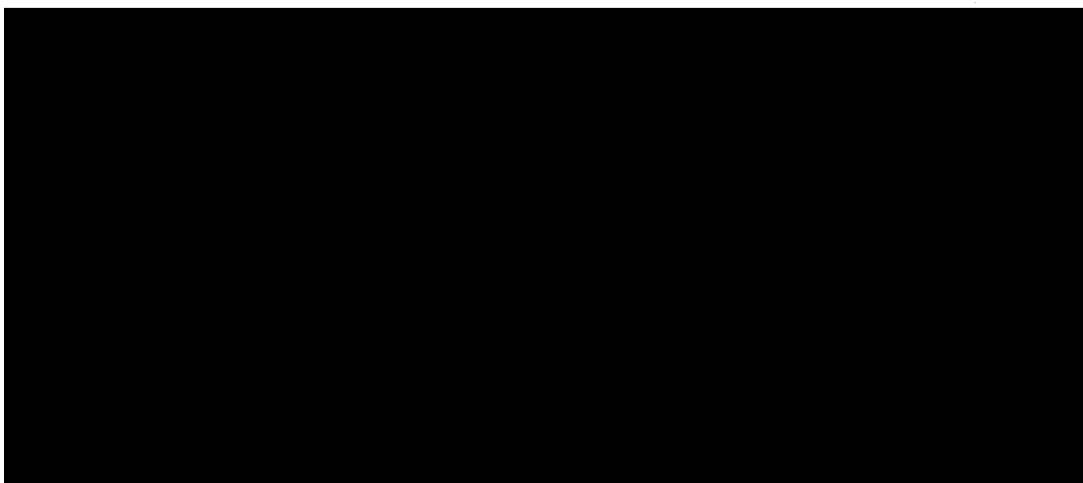
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